

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: AORG, APER, UN (RYAN, ROBERT), (TIMBRELL, CLAYTON)  
SUBJ: UN PERSONNEL - SUCCESSOR TO ROBERT RYAN AS ASYG/OGS

REF: USUN 2185

AT LUNCH JULY 27 USYG DAVIDSON TOLD LEONARD AND STOTTLEMYER  
THAT WALDHEIM IS LIKELY TO NAME CLAY TIMBRELL, NOW ACTING  
HEAD OF OGS, AS BOB RYAN'S SUCCESSOR AT ASYG LEVEL.  
DAVIDSON SAID HE HAD ADVISED WALDHEIM THAT POSSIBILITY  
OF PLACING AN AMERICAN AS HEAD OF OPI DID NOT APPEAR  
FEASIBLE GIVEN LIKELIHOOD THAT PRESENT INCUMBENT, AKATANI  
(JAPAN), WOULD STAY IN PLACE. HE ADDED THAT BECAUSE  
OF INTERNAL OPI PROBLEMS AND HIS BELIEF THAT WALDHEIM  
WOULD NOT BE WILLING TO TAKE DRACONIAN MEASURES TO SHAPE  
UP OPI, HE FELT THAT ANY EFFORT TO SWITCH AMERICANS  
BETWEEN THESE TWO POSTS PROBABLY WOULD NOT BE WORTH  
THE EFFORT EVEN IF THE EFFORT SHOULD SUCCEED.  
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